

Progression step 4 2025-26

Topic	All about me	Our Wonderful World	Once upon a time	Animal adventures	Home sweet home	To infinity and beyond
My inspiration	Create a 'Me Museum' where students bring in items that represent their interests, family, and	Organize a 'World Fair' with stations representing different countries, including food, music, and cultural	Transform the classroom into a medieval castle	Invite a local animal expert or mobile zoo to bring in live animals for observation	Set up a 'Build Your Dream Home' activity using various craft materials.	Host a 'Space Exploration Day' with activities like building rockets and simulating moon landings.
My voice	experiences. Introductions, choosing class reps, understanding pupil voice	artifacts. Eco-projects, recycling, nature walks	Pupils to share their personal stories, experiences, and ideas for change	Caring for animals, playground and classroom safety	Local helpers, charity work, school pride	End-of-year review, what went well, hopes for next year
My community	Community Skills Showcase Visit Trip Idea: Host a school event where learners can present their skills, interests, and achievements to an audience of peers, families, and local organisations. Life Skills Focus: - Event planning and organisation	Sustainability Audit Field Trip Trip Idea: Visit a local business, school, or community centre to conduct a sustainability audit. Learners gather data and later present an action plan with eco-friendly improvements. Life Skills Focus:	Community Storytelling Podcast Visit Trip Idea: Visit a care home, library, or community group to collect oral stories from older generations. Learners record and edit the stories into a podcast series. Life Skills Focus:	Pet Care Workshop at a Local Venue Trip Idea: Visit a local vet, pet shop, or primary school to deliver a pet care workshop. Learners demonstrate responsible pet care using posters, models, or live demonstrations. Life Skills Focus:	Independent Living Skills in the Community Trip Idea: Take part in a week- long series of community-based tasks such as shopping, cooking, using public transport, and managing appointments. Life Skills Focus:	STEM Challenge Presentation Trip Trip Idea: Visit a local school, library, or science centre to present a STEM-based solution to a real- world community problem. Learners showcase their models, experiments, or digital presentations.











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	- Self-presentation	- Research and data	- Interviewing and	- Teaching and	- Independent travel	Life Skills Focus:
	and confidence	collection	digital recording	leadership	and time	- Innovation and
	- Communication	- Critical thinking	- Editing and	- Planning and	management	teamwork
	with a wider	and problem-solving	publishing content	resource creation	- Budgeting and	- Research and
	audience	- Advocacy and	- Intergenerational	- Empathy and	financial literacy	prototyping
		presentation skills	communication	responsibility	- Meal planning and	- Public speaking
					self-care	and persuasion
British Values	Democracy	Democracy	Democracy	Democracy	Democracy	Democracy
	Class elections for	Debate	Create and vote on	Vote on which	Create a class	Debate and vote of
	roles and	environmental	alternative endings	animals to study and	project on improving	space exploration
	responsibilities.	issues and vote on	for stories.	how to protect them.	the local	projects.
		class projects.			community.	
	Rule of Law		Rule of Law	Rule of Law	-	Rule of Law
	Create a class	Rule of Law	Discuss the role of	Learn about animal	Rule of Law	Learn about
	charter with agreed	Learn about	laws in fairy tales	protection laws and	Learn about local	international space
	rules and	environmental laws	and their real-life	their importance.	laws and their	laws and
	consequences.	and their	implications.		impact on daily life.	agreements.
		importance.		Individual Liberty		
	Individual Liberty		Individual Liberty	Encourage	Individual Liberty	Individual Liberty
	Encourage self-	Individual Liberty	Encourage creative	independent	Encourage students	Encourage
	expression through	Encourage	writing and	projects on favorite	to express their	independent
	art and writing.	independent	storytelling.	animals.	ideas for community	research on space
		research on global	Mutual Respect		improvement.	topics.
	Mutual Respect	issues.	Explore themes of	Mutual Respect		
	Discuss the		respect and	Discuss the	Mutual Respect	Mutual Respect
	importance of	Mutual Respect	kindness in	importance of	Discuss the	Discuss the
	respecting others'	Discuss the impact	traditional tales.	respecting all living	importance of	importance of
	opinions and	of human activity on		creatures.	respecting	international
	feelings.	different	Tolerance		neighbors and	cooperation in
		communities.	Discuss the moral	Tolerance	community	space exploration
	Tolerance		lessons about	Explore how	members.	
		Tolerance	tolerance in stories.	different cultures		Tolerance













School Values	Explore different family structures and cultures. Kindness Reflects on the impact of kindness and chooses to act kindly even when it's difficult Supports others in resolving conflicts kindly	Explore diverse cultures and their relationship with nature. Belonging Takes responsibility for including others and building community Champions fairness and inclusion in group settings	Believing Demonstrates resilience and self- belief in the face of challenge Reflects on growth and effort as part of success	view and treat animals. Achieving Sets and reviews personal learning goals independently Supports others in achieving their goals too	Tolerance Explore different types of homes and communities around the world. Respect Consistently demonstrates respect for diverse perspectives and cultural differences Resolves conflicts calmly and fairly, showing empathy and understanding.	Explore how different cultures view the universe and space exploration. Accountability Independently takes responsibility for decisions and actions, including mistakes Sets personal goals, monitors progress, and adapts strategies to achieve them
Literacy and communication	Reading Autobiographies, diary entries, and texts exploring identity and emotions. Writing Personal narratives, reflective writing, and poems about self. Speaking & Listening	Reading Non-fiction texts about geography, climate, and global cultures. Writing Persuasive texts on environmental issues, travel brochures, or fact files.	Reading Traditional tales, myths, and legends from different cultures. Writing Story writing, alternative endings, or character diaries. Speaking & Listening	Reading Animal-themed fiction and non- fiction (e.g. habitats, endangered species). Writing Information texts, animal adventure stories, or persuasive writing on animal welfare.	Reading Texts about family, community, and belonging. Writing Descriptive writing about home, letters, or opinion pieces. Speaking & Listening Interviews with family members or	Reading Science fiction, space exploration articles, and futuristic texts. Writing Sci-fi stories, imaginative descriptions, or mission logs. Speaking & Listening











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	Share personal	Speaking &	Storytelling, role-	Speaking &	community	Debates on space
	stories or conduct	Listening	play, or dramatic	Listening	storytelling.	travel or alien life.
	peer interviews.	Presentations on	readings.	Presentations or		
		countries or		debates on animal	Grammar Focus	Digital Literacy
	Digital Literacy	environmental	Vocabulary	conservation.	Use of paragraphs	Design a digital
	Create digital	campaigns.	Explore figurative		and cohesive	space mission
	profiles or		language and	Digital Literacy	devices in	journal or
	multimedia	Digital Literacy	descriptive	Create animal fact	descriptive writing.	infographic.
	presentations about	Create digital	techniques.	files or digital		
	themselves	posters or		campaigns.		
		infographics about				
		world issues.				
Mathematics and	Measurement:	Statistics: Compare	Time: Timeline of	Data Handling:	Measurement: Area	Measurement:
Numeracy	Height, weight, time	population, climate,	events in stories or	Graph animal	and perimeter of	Distances in space,
	(daily routines).	or land area data.	historical contexts.	populations or	rooms or gardens.	time taken for space
				habitats.		travel.
	Data Handling:	Measurement: Use	Geometry: Explore		Money: Budgeting	
	Create bar charts or	scale and distance	shapes and patterns	Measurement:	for home	Data: Record and
	pictograms about	on maps.	in traditional art or	Compare animal	improvements or	analyze space
	preferences or		architecture.	sizes, speeds, or	shopping lists.	mission data.
	habits.	Currency: Convert		lifespans.		
		between currencies	Problem Solving:	·	Geometry: Identify	Problem Solving:
	Number: Use	and compare prices	Solve puzzles or	Fractions/Decimals:	shapes and angles	Plan a space
	personal data for	globally.	riddles from stories.	Calculate food	in home design.	mission using
	calculations (e.g.			portions or habitat		calculations and
	age differences, step			areas.		logic.
	counts).					
Expressive arts	Art	Art	Art	Art	Art	Art
	Self-portraits,	Landscape painting,	Illustrate myths and	Animal sketches,	Architectural	Abstract space-
	identity collages,	environmental art,	legends, create	sculpture, or mixed	drawings, interior	themed art, digital
	symbolic	global patterns and	storyboards or	media habitats.	design projects,	design, or futuristic
	representations.	textures.	puppets.		community murals.	cityscapes.
	·			Music		













	Music	Music	Music	Use instruments and	Music	Music
	Compose personal	Explore world music	Compose or perform	soundscapes to	Explore sounds of	Compose electronic
	soundtracks or	traditions and	music to accompany	represent animal	the home or	or ambient music
	mood-based	instruments.	storytelling.	movements or	compose music	inspired by space.
	compositions.			environments.	inspired by family	
		Dance	Dance		life.	Dance
	Dance	Learn and perform	Recreate traditional	Dance		Interpret space
	Choreograph	dances from	or folk dances linked	Choreograph dances	Dance	travel or zero-gravity
	routines expressing	different cultures.	to historical tales.	inspired by animal	Create routines that	through movement.
	personal stories or			movement and	reflect daily life or	
	emotions.			behaviour.	community	
					interactions.	
Health and	Emotional Well-	Global Citizenship:	Values and Morals:	Empathy and	Community and	Aspirations: Setting
Wellbeing (PSHE)	being: Self-	Respect for diversity,	Exploring right and	Responsibility:	Belonging: Exploring	goals and exploring
3(,	awareness,	empathy, and	wrong through	Caring for living	family structures	future careers.
	managing emotions,	sustainability.	stories.	things and ethical	and community	
	and self-esteem.			treatment of	roles.	Risk Management:
		Ethics: Making	Empathy:	animals.		Understanding risk
	Relationships:	responsible choices	Understanding		Safety:	in exploration and
	Exploring identity,	for the environment	others' perspectives	Decision-making:	Understanding	innovation.
	values, and personal	and society.	and emotions.	Debating animal	home safety and	
	boundaries.			rights and	digital boundaries.	Mental Health:
		Mental Health:	Resilience: Learning	environmental		Managing stress and
	Health:	Managing eco-	from challenges and	impact.	Relationships:	uncertainty about
	Understanding	anxiety and	historical figures.		Respect,	the future.
	puberty and	developing hope and		Well-being: Using	communication, and	
	personal hygiene.	action.		nature and animals	resolving conflict.	
				to support mental		
				health.		
Health and	Fundamental	Dynamic balance to	Coordination – Ball	Agility – Ball chasing	Control and	Team games
Wellbeing (PE)	movement skills	Agility	skills		consistency	
						Agility and response











	Coordination	Static Balance –	Coordination –	Static balance –	Healthy competition	
	through footwork	exploring stance	sending and	floor work		Strategic decision
			receiving		Cooperative games	making during
	Static Balance –	Exploring jumping		Balance and control		competitive games
	exploring standing	and landing	Counterbalance		Personal best	
	on one leg			Dynamic Balance	challenges	Variety of
		Seated Balance	Agility – Reaction			movements with
	Invasion		and response	Invasion	Athletics	good body tension
	Net and Wall	Invasion &		Net and Wall	Gymnastics	
		competitive	Invasion &			Striking and fielding
			competitive			
						Target games
Humanities	History: Explore	Geography: Study	History: Investigate	Geography: Study	History: Trace the	History: Study the
	personal and family	ecosystems, climate	myths, legends, and	habitats,	development of	history of space
	history; identity and	change, and global	historical narratives.	biodiversity, and	homes and	exploration.
	heritage.	interdependence.		conservation.	communities over	
			Ethics: Analyse		time.	Ethics: Debate the
	Ethics: Reflect on	Ethics: Explore	moral lessons and	Ethics: Debate		ethics of space
	values, beliefs, and	environmental	cultural values in	animal rights and	Geography:	travel and
	how they shape	responsibility and	traditional stories.	human	Investigate urban vs.	colonization.
	identity.	sustainability.		responsibilities.	rural environments	
			Geography: Explore		and land use.	Geography:
	Geography:	History: Examine	the settings and	History: Explore the		Understand Earth's
	Investigate local	how human activity	landscapes of	role of animals in	Ethics: Discuss	place in the universe
	environments and	has shaped the	historical tales.	different cultures	fairness, housing,	and spatial
	communities.	natural world		and time periods.	and community	awareness.
					values.	
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Science and	Biology: Human	Geography & Earth	History of Science:	Biology: Animal	Physics: Energy use	Physics &
Technology	body systems,	Science: Climate	Study historical	classification,	in the home,	Astronomy: Gravity,
	puberty, and	change,	inventions and	habitats, and	insulation, and	orbits, and space
	genetics.	ecosystems, and renewable energy.	discoveries.	adaptations.	circuits.	exploration.













	Health Tech: Wearable technology, nutrition tracking. Digital: Create personal data dashboards or fitness apps.	Sustainability: Design eco-friendly solutions or models. Data Science: Analyse global environmental data.	Engineering: Recreate ancient technologies (e.g. catapults, aqueducts). Digital Storytelling: Use animation or coding to retell myths.	Technology: Use sensors or trackers in wildlife studies. Ethics: Debate the use of animals in research.	Design Tech: Model smart homes or sustainable buildings. Digital: Program home automation systems (e.g. lighting, alarms).	Engineering: Design rockets or space habitats. Computing: Simulate space missions or code navigation systems.
Cooking	Understand the importance of not cross-contaminating food. Store food properly to keep it fresh and safe to eat. Tie back hair and wear an apron while cooking.	Use a knife safely to cut fruits and vegetables with proper technique. Follow safety rules when using kitchen appliances, like keeping cords away from water. Handle hot pots and pans carefully, using oven mitts or pot holders.	Use a knife safely to chop fruits and vegetables with proper technique. Use a grater to grate cheese or vegetables carefully. Use a rolling pin to roll out dough evenly. Use a can opener to open cans safely. Use a vegetable peeler to peel harder vegetables like carrots. Use a kitchen scale to weigh ingredients accurately. Use measuring spoons to measure small amounts of	Use a knife safely to chop fruits and vegetables with proper technique. Use a knife to cut harder vegetables like carrots with supervision. Use a knife to slice and dice ingredients with guidance.	Arrange food on the plate to enhance its visual appeal. Measure, mix, and bake ingredients to create breads, cakes, and pastries with minimal supervision.	Experiment with ingredients and techniques to create new dishes and adapt recipes independently.











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		precisely.		









